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ALLIES ARE SEEKING HELP

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Them is Being Made.

LONDON, Aug. 7.—Holding the bridgeheads at Warsaw over the Vistula river the most formidable military obstacle in eastern Europe, Germany and Austria-Hungary having conquered the river line and with it having invaded Russian territory for an average depth of 100 miles along a front from the Baltic to Bukovina are now throwing their forces forward in an endeavor to accomplish what Russia's allies have so feared—the complete envelopment of the Russian army.

The British press basing its opinions on Petrograd despatches and the lack of reports to the contrary from either Berlin or Vienna is inclined to the view that the forces of Grand Duke Nicholas retired from Warsaw virtually intact, but there is an increasing disposition not to minimize the seriousness of the situation as it still exists and the anxiety of the quadruple powers seems to be manifested in renewed pressure to bring the Balkan states in line on the side of the entente powers.

Quiescent Sweden is now restless and even so conservative a newspaper as the London Morning Post finds cause for comment in Sweden's growing hostility to Russia.

Whether the present Balkan negotiations will be more fruitful from the entente standpoint than were previous attempts to align these states against Germany and Turkey is debatable.

Though still holding Novogorodsk, the whole Russian garrison remains at bay. Thus the Russian armies are not only menaced back of the Warsaw salient, from which it is assumed they were not entirely clear before heavy German forces broke across the Vistula to the south-east of Warsaw, but a larger and more formidable enveloping movement has taken definite form, being in effect a greater pair of pincers aiming at Dvinsk in the north and at Brest-Litovsk in the south and, per-imposed or a smaller pair which sought and still seeks to crush the Russian forces in and around Warsaw.

There is the chance that the grip of the smaller pair may not be effective and it will take some time to demonstrate whether the more ambitious movement succeeds.

FALL OF GORIZIA NEAR TRIEST NOW IMMINENT

PARIS, Aug. 7.—After a desperate battle, the Italians have stormed and captured the summit of Monte San Michele, which dominates Gorizia, says a despatch from Turin. The fall of Gorizia, twenty-two miles northwest of Trieste, on the Isonzo, now is believed imminent.

WARSAW'S INHABITANTS GLAD GERMANS ENTERED

BERLIN, Aug. 7.—The German troops were welcomed to undamaged Warsaw as liberators according to the report forwarded to Berlin by Kurt Aram, a special correspondent of the Lokal Anzeiger. Telegraphing under date of August 5, Aram placed emphasis on the statement that the city was not evacuated without a combat, the forts were protected by barbed wire, trenches, pits and mines against infantry attacks. The city is not mentioned as having been damaged.

The inhabitants of the Polish capital, the correspondent says, welcomed the invading troops with every sign of real enthusiasm and rejoicing. The streets were richly decorated. The Polish peasants, who long had been restrained in the city, began leaving in the early morning for their farms. They greeted the Germans with cheers.

The Warsaw correspondent of the Berliner Tageblatt confirms the reports that the German troops met with a joyous reception. The streets, he says, were filled with Poles, Jews, Germans and Russians, who waved their hats joyfully to the German soldiers. Many of the inhabitants were standing in the vicinity of the castle, although an infantry battle with the Russians was proceeding to the east of the building.

"The electric street cars were running as usual," the correspondent says, "and almost all the shops were open. Very little damage had been done in the city proper. The earworks about the forts show the German artillery made many fair hits. The correspondent at Ivangeorod of the Lokal Anzeiger points out that the occupation of that fortress in itself is less important than the fact that it makes possible an important increase of concentric pressure on the

GLASS SELLING MUCH BRISKER THAN FORMERLY

Improvement is Noted over
That of the Previous Week
in Market.

COOL WEATHER.
Frank Duff sends the following from Atlantic City: John P. Peacock and "Charley" Gill had their palm beach suits on a recent night and the weather got so cool that Peacock had to go to a news stand to buy a Fireside Companion to keep warm.

Russian troops in south Poland. The offensive of the armies of Archduke Joseph Ferdinand and Field Marshal von Mackensen, he adds, continues northward and the effect on the yet unchanged east Galician front is likely soon to make itself felt.

SPIRITED FIGHTING IN WESTERN FIELD

PARIS, Aug. 7.—The French office today gave out the following statement: "Last night passed quietly all along the front. There has been reported nothing more than some engagements with hand grenades in the vicinity of Souchez and artillery fighting in the region of Tracy-le-Val and in the neighborhood of Bey-au-Bac."

"In the western section of the Argonne there has been a continuance of the spirited fighting with grenades and bombs. An attack of the enemy in the vicinity of Hill No. 213 was repulsed."

DEATH ANGEL

Claims Mrs. Belle Cromwell
after An Illness of Five
Years.

Mrs. Belle Cromwell, aged 52 years, passed away at 9 o'clock Saturday morning after a long illness at the home of her daughter, Mrs. G. M. West, on Mechanic street. Mrs. Cromwell had been an invalid for five years. The deceased woman was a daughter of W. W. and Sarah Lowe Bogges, both now deceased. She was a member of the Central Presbyterian church. Surviving relatives are Mrs. G. M. West, a daughter; and J. T. Bogges, a brother.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 o'clock Monday afternoon at the West home and the Rev. H. J. Allsup, pastor of the Central Presbyterian church, will have charge of the services. The burial will be in the Odd Fellows cemetery.

SMACKS SUNK.

LONDON, Aug. 7.—The British fishing smacks, Herperus, Ivan, Cess and Fisherman have been sunk, presumably by a German submarine. The fishing crews were landed today.

ONE MARRIAGE LICENSES.

A marriage license has been issued to Ira C. Nichols and Julia M. Debrau.

Mrs. R. A. Davis, of Cumberland, Md., is visiting her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Graham, of 527 Werniger street.

CARRANZA WILLING FOR PEACE CONFAB

And the United States Officially
States Its Position for
the First Time.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 7.—The Mexican situation moved forward today with two important developments.

General Carranza signified his willingness to meet his adversaries in a peace conference and an authoritative announcement was made of the views with which the United States is approaching the problem in the Pan-American conference. The position of the United States was officially stated as follows:

That neither Carranza nor any other military faction in Mexico is in control of the country or can be considered as triumphant in the republic.

That the real purpose of the revolution was accomplished a year ago when Huerta was overthrown and that the strife which has continued

Mattie Smith In City Jail

And also Viola Wilfong, Both
Being Charged with Loiter-
ing in the Streets.

Mattie Hinton, better known as Mattie Smith, and Viola Wilfong are prisoners in the city jail awaiting hearings before Mayor G. H. Gordon on charges of loitering in the streets. Unless they furnish bonds of \$5.00 each they will remain in jail until Sunday morning's session of police court, when their cases will be disposed of.

The two women were arrested by Officers Shahan and McCord, who acted upon orders issued by the mayor. The arrests were made in West Main street shortly before noon.

"Don't you put my right name down on that sheet," said Mattie to Officer Shahan when they arrived at police headquarters. "I'm Viola."

Their protest, however, had no effect, for they are registered on the police blotter as "Mattie Hinton" and "Viola Wilfong."

HUSBAND

Wanted by Woman Who is Critically
Ill in Chicago.

Mrs. Lloyd C. Haggerty, who formerly resided in this city, is critically ill at her home in Chicago and wants to see her husband, who is said to live here, according to a letter received by the Telegram from Mrs. Charles Wetherston, of Chicago. Mrs. Wetherston, who says that she is a sister-in-law of Mrs. Haggerty, requests that Mr. Haggerty come to his wife's bedside at once, as she is not expected to live.

CHILTON TO SPEAK.

PARKERSBURG, Aug. 7.—United States Senator William E. Chilton is expected to visit Parkersburg at the time of the convention here late in September of the West Virginia Oil and Gas Producers' Association. Senator Chilton has been invited to address the association and has accepted the invitation.

STREET PAVING WILL BE DONE

In a Number of Sections in the
City by Order of the
City Council.

City council at its regular meeting Friday night determined to do a considerable amount of street paving this year and to make some changes in the lighting system in connection with the new Fourth street bridge. A routine business was also looked after.

Philippi street from Linden avenue to Charleston avenue, Jackson street from Oak street to a point 800 feet west on the street, and Broadway avenue from Mulberry street north to the bridge and as much farther north on the street as the property owners will pay two-thirds of the cost, will be paved.

On motion of Councilman Harding a bill presented by Anthony Flora for work done on the new Sixth street bridge and at the approaches of the bridge amounting to \$1,089.81 was referred to the city engineer and city attorney to be decided, and if an right to be allowed.

Councilman Conaway suggested that Dr. S. L. Jopson, president of the state health council be notified of the appointments made by Mayor Gordon to the board of health committee of the city.

Referred to Officials.
A petition presented by Frank E. McEntee in connection with the new Fourth street bridge was referred to the city engineer, city attorney and superintendent of streets with power to act. The first section of the petition pertained to the regrading and repaving of Fourth street from Jones street to the new Fourth street bridge as the bridge is to be ten inches lower than the old one.

The second section pertained to the sewerage system on the bridge. Consulting Engineer McIntire suggested that for disposal of storm water at the approaches of the bridge and at the center of the bridge six catch basins be placed on the bridge with the proper sewerage connections.

As the contractors are ready to start the finishing work on the first span of the bridge, Consulting Engineer McIntire asked the council what rights the telephone and electric light companies have with regard to crossing of the bridge. This will be investigated by the street committee, city and consulting engineer.

Combination Poles.
On motion of Councilman Sartor the lighting system on the Fourth street bridge will be changed from

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OUTLAWS KILLED

Posse in a Battle Lasting Ten
Seconds Slays Three Mex-
ican Bandits.

BROWNSVILLE, Tex., Aug. 7.—Fighting three against thirty, three Mexican outlaws were killed by a posse last night about thirty miles north of here. One posseman was slightly wounded. The fight lasted not more than ten seconds.

Since last night officers have arrested twenty Mexicans, all residents on the American side, on the suspicion that they have been members of the bands robbing and burning in this section for the last three weeks.

BRYAN'S FRIEND

Resigns As One of the Foreign
Trade Advisors of State
Department.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 7.—Robert S. Rose of Montana today resigned as one of the foreign trade advisors in the state department. Mr. Rose was appointed by Secretary Bryan and was his close personal friend.

In presenting his resignation, Mr. Rose said it has no connection with Secretary Bryan's resignation.

TO ENLARGE PLANT.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Aug. 7.—It is announced from Geneva that the plant there of the American Can Company, closed for the last two years, will be enlarged at once to four times its present size and reopened.

SPECIAL TERM.

A special term of the circuit court will be held by Judge Raymond Maxwell Thursday, August 19, to hand down decisions in numerous causes submitted too late to be passed on at the last regular term of the court.

STILL BOMBARDING.

BERLIN, Aug. 7.—The German official report today says: "In Warsaw the position is unchanged. The Russians continue to bombard the town from the east bank of the Vistula."

MRS. CORE DEAD

Wife of Henry Core, of near
Wilsonburg, Passes Away
after Year's Illness.

Mrs. Jennie Core, aged 66 years, wife of Henry Core, died at 8:30 o'clock Saturday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. F. Johnson, at stop 10 on the Wilsonburg car line, after a year's illness of diseases incident to old age.

Surviving relatives of the deceased woman are her husband, Henry Core, a daughter, Mrs. J. F. Johnson, and Mrs. Mollie Driver, of Darlington, Wis., and Mrs. Carrie Churchill, of Riverside, Calif., sisters.

The funeral services will be held at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Johnson home and the burial will be in Greenlawn cemetery.

CLARKSBURG CHOSEN.

PARKERSBURG, Aug. 7.—The annual sessions of the grand lodge of colored Knights of Pythias and grand court Order of Olanthe came to a close last night after a joint installation of officers. Clarksburg was selected as the next place of meeting.

Mrs. E. C. Graham and son, Edward, Jr., have returned from a visit in Pittsburg.

BOY HIT BY CAR LOSES LITTLE TOE

Scared by Noisy Locomotive,
He Jumps in Front of a
Traction Car.

Jay Gould, fourteen-year-old stepson of Delbert Owen, of 308 Stealey avenue, Stealey Heights, was struck by an interurban traction car late Friday night at Adamston when he jumped from a Baltimore and Ohio railroad track in order to avoid a freight locomotive, but escaped with the loss of the little toe on his left foot and had a shaking up.

Accompanied by a boy about the same age, Jay was on his way home from the Hazel-Atlas glass plant, where he is employed, and was walking alongside the railroad tracks. At a point about fifty feet north of the

GERMANS FORCED BACK FROM RIGA GALA DAY

In Munich Where a Crowd of
More Than 100,000 Celeb-
brate German Victories.

MUNICH, Aug. 6, via Berlin and London, Aug. 7.—A crowd of over 100,000 persons assembled at evening today on the historic Koenig Platz of Germany to celebrate the German victories at Warsaw and Ivangorod. The manifestations of patriotism were remarkable, but they were overshadowed by the evidence of deep religious feeling on the part of the assembled multitudes. During the celebration aeroplanes circled in the air and the hum of their motors could be heard above the sound of thousands of voices.

With bare heads the people stood in the light of the setting sun, and before giving expression to the national pride in the success of German arms in Poland a fervent prayer went up to God.

It was almost dark when the demonstration came to an end. After nightfall every restaurant in the city was filled with people waving flags. So far as the number of participants were concerned it exceeded the demonstration following the fall of Przemysl and Lemberg.

STRIKE SETTLED

And It Will Not Be Necessary
Now to Resort to Texas
Rangers.

LITTLE FALLS, N. Y., Aug. 7.—The strike of 2,000 men at the Remington Arms Company's Elton plant which has been on a week was settled today at a conference between strikers and company officials. The strikers will return to work Monday.

TO PROTEST

Against the Decision of Ger-
man Prize Court in the In-
dian Prince Case.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 7.—The United States will protest against the decision of the German prize court in the case of the British steamer Indian Prince, sunk with a cargo of American-owned coffee by the German cruiser Prinz Eitel Friedrich. The court had justified the sinking. The state department takes the view that it is another clear violation of the Prussian-American treaty of 1828.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY.

Larry Naples, of Lambert's run, was arrested Saturday by Constable Charles McVicker and taken before Magistrate W. E. Starcher on a warrant charging him with assaulting and beating Ernest Keller there Friday. He furnished bond for his appearance Tuesday afternoon for a hearing and was released.

MOVE TO LOCUST STREET.

Magistrate R. Edward Kidd and family have moved from Point Comfort to 774 Locust street.

GRAFT IN BOSTON.

BOSTON, Aug. 7.—Five members of the city council of Revere were indicted by the grand jury today on a charge of receiving gratuities totalling \$200 for granting licenses to junk dealers. All pleaded not guilty.

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Toward Mitau According to
Press Despatches from the
City of Petrograd.

ALSO CHECKED ON WARSAW

Warsaw Evacuation Was with-
out a Struggle Declares Pet-
grad Story of Fall.

PETROGRAD, Aug. 7.—Warsaw was evacuated by the Russians without a struggle in its immediate vicinity, in order that the city might escape damage. The retreat was businesslike and orderly.

All the war stock had been previously removed from the city along with the rolling stock of the railroads. The Russians planted artillery to prevent the rebuilding of the Vistula bridge by the Germans.

According to official information a large part of the evacuating army remained close to the city prepared to contest any effort made by the Germans to cross the Vistula in pursuit.

The Germans on the Narow are being held a few miles from the left bank of the river, notwithstanding the presence of heavy German reinforcements and the apparently serious efforts made in the last three days to break through in the rear of the Russian Warsaw defenders.

In the vicinity of the Baltic capital of Riga the Germans have been forced back toward Mitau. The Germans appear for the time being to have abandoned their efforts in the direction on Riga, and intend instead to prevent flanking of their positions from the direction of Pniewsch. Nevertheless it is expected in Petrograd that Riga will be the scene of an early renewal of activity.

The railroads are not taking shipments destined for Riga. Historic monuments are being removed from the city, and the exodus of the population continues.

BIG CIRCUS

Coming Here This Fall if Sui-
table Grounds Can Be
Secured.

Barnum and Bailey's circus will come to Clarksburg this fall if suitable grounds can be secured.

S. W. Beckett, advance representative of the circus, is in the city making a diligent search for a location for the show. Up until noon his search had been futile, but he was continuing in the hope that a location might be found.

According to Mr. Beckett, the circus will arrive here or at Fairmont, going to the latter place in the event that suitable grounds can not be secured here.

FLOOD VICTIMS

Are Being Buried at Erie Today
and Tomorrow's Excursions
Are Cancelled.

ERIE, Pa., Aug. 7.—Eleven victims of Tuesday night's flood were to be buried today, while Coronar, Hanley and his deputies were arranging for the inquest which had been scheduled for Monday. Competent engineers were also at work preparing data for presentation to the war department at Washington with a view to federal regulation that would prevent further flooding of the Erie Creek channel and thus tend to avert a repetition of the disaster.

Mayor Stern, after consultation with the officers commanding the state force today telegraphed the railroads entering Erie to discontinue excursions scheduled for Erie tomorrow. He pointed out that the city was still much disturbed and would be unable to care for the many thousands of sightseers it was reported would come from Pittsburg, Cleveland and Buffalo.

SUBMARINE SUNK.

PARIS, Aug. 7.—The Italian submarine Meride is reported to have been sunk in an encounter with an Austrian submarine off the island of Pelagosamin, in the Oratio sea.

CARRANZA BREF.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 7.—On behalf of General Carranza, a formal brief on the Mexican situation was filed with Secretary Lansing today, practically asking for political recognition and proposing that Carranza's Washington agents meet any of the other factions in a peace conference.